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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT:	Harris et al.	EXAMINER:	Smith, Sheila B
SERIAL NO.:	10/647,424	GROUP:	2617
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ENTITLED:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE OPERATING CHARACTERISTICS OF A BUFFER		

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**RESPONSE**

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

In view of the issues raised in the office action mailed December 13, 2006, the following response is hereby respectfully submitted by the applicants. Reconsideration of any outstanding objections and/or rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.